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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY-27, 1880.

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- PAID-UP CAPITAL£1,500,000. TATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DE-

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Manager. Longkong, May 31, 1879.

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Hongkols, November 1, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

TR. W. DETMERS has been authorized IVI to Ston our Firm per Procuration. RADECKER & Co.

Hongkong, January 81, 1880. NOTICE

Credits granted on approved Securities | THE Business heretofore Conducted by the Undersigned as STOREKEEPER, etc., will be Transferred 1st MARCH next

> of BENDIOHT, W. & Co. The Undersigned, in returning thanks to their numerous Customers for past favours, beg to solicit the same Patronage to bis Successor, who will be assisted by his Wife GOLD MEDAL AT THE PARIS EXHIBITION. and his Sister.

BENDICHT, W. & Co. Hongkong, February 24, 1880.

OHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. TROM Tels DATE, and during the ab-

sence of Mr W. H. RAY from the Colony, Mr B. GOLDSMITH has been appointed ACTING SECRETARY to the Com-H. H. NELSON.

Chair man. Hongkong, February 21, 1880. mi 21

NOTICE. WE Have THIS DAY author red Mr CARL VON PUSTAU to SIGN our

Firm by Procuration. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, February 25, 1880. NOTICE.

MR. N. O. STEVENS is hereby authorized to Sign our Name by Procuration at AMOY, the Power held by Mr ELWELL CEASING from this Date.

RUSSELL & Co. China, February 9, 1880.

NOTIOE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr LEONHARD STAEL in our

Firm CEASED on the Slat December last. Mr F. C. DITTMER is authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration. HESSE & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1880. NOTIOE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. DECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN

SHIPPING. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879.

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THE FOLK-LORE OF OHINA; and its Affinities with THAT OF THE ABYAN AND SENITIO RACES. By N. B. Dennys, Ph.D., F.R.G.S. PRICE, HALF BOUND, \$2.00. KELLY & WALSH, Hongkong.

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Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

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Hongkong, December 6, 1879.

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Hongkong, August 21, 1879.

Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

WOHLIERS at

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

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The New Wire Spring MATTRESSES. Coir DOOR MATS.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT. FOR SALE.

O BE SOLD as a going Concern, by TOWNS AND CITIES OF CHINA; A DICTIONARY OF REFERENCE. PUBLIC AUCTION, on A DAY By G. M. H. PLAYFAIR. to be hereafter fixed in the Month of APRIL next, (unless previously disposed PRICE, \$6 Per COPY BOUND. of by Private Contract, and subject to Apply to Messes Noronna & Co. LANE, URAWFORD & Co. | withdrawal by the Vendors for any other Kelly and Walsh. | reason of which due Notice will be given) reason of which due Notice will be given) McEwen, Frickel & Co. THE BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS Hougkong, February 16, 1880. AND SHIPWRIGHTS, lately Carried on by Messrs J. Incuis & Co., known as the VICTORIA FOUNDRY, and

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SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON, Solicitors for the Mortgagees. THE FURNISHINGS, FIXTURES, Supreme Court House,

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HONGKONG RACES, 1880.

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To be Held in the SPACES, under or

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SAILORS' HOME.

A PAPERS will be thankfully received

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NY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or

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Hongkong, February 25, 1680.

Hongkong, February 26, 1880.

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TO BE LET, on Lesse for Building, a RACE HOLIDAYS. PHOE of GROUND, containing about 10,000 Fquare Feet, at Spring GARDEN, on THE Undermentioned BANKS wi Inland Lot No. 199; commending a good view of the harbour, Instant.

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TO LET. FIRST-CLASS STONE FLOORED GO-DOWN, Situated upon Marine Lor Also, the Two HOUSES, Nos. 14 and

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TO LET. ON MIRINE LOT No. 65; FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS. Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

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Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire Gonowns to be let. MEYER & Co.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOUDERS. THE Ordinary Annual MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be Held at the Office of the General Agents, on FRIDAY, the 5th day of March next, at 3 o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1879.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agen's. Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th February current to 5th March next, both

days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

G. FALCONER & Co., WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANCE 4 CTURERS,

JEWELLERS. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS. 46, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, February 20, 1880.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANIES' OBDINANCE 1865.

AND THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1877. CAPITAL \$500,000, DIVIDED INTO 5,000 SHARES OF \$100 EACH (FULLY PAID UP).

General Agents. Messrs RUSSELL & Co. Directors. WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, Eaq.

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AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA. Solicitors.

Messrs BRERETON and WOTTON. This Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors of the Cosmopolitan Dook, their Dook and the Ground and Premises belonging thereto, with the Plant, Machinery, and Stock-in-Trade of the parties aforesald, and the Business and Goodwill thereof, and of carrying on the Business of Shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Hongkong. For this purpose an absolute Assignment dated the 31st day of January, 1880, has been entered into by Messes WILLIAM Admission (by Tickets only) \$2. Tickets | Howell Formes, Frank BLAGEWELL FORmay be obtained and places secured at BES, SAMUEL WYLLYS POMEROY, Junior, Mesers Lane, Chawford & Co.'s, on and John Murray Forbes, Junior, Frederick DELANO HITCH, HENRY DE COURCY FORBES, and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, Merchants, trading as RUSSELL & Co., as Trustees of WILLIAM BOLTON SPRATT, ANDREW JOHNmake STON, and NELSON SPRATT, the owners of the sald Cosmopolitan. Dock, with Messra KWOK ACHEONG, WILLIAM HOWALL FOREES, CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, and JOSE AN-TONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Directors of the said Company, for the purchase of all the premises mentioned, without further confirmation, for the price or sum of \$500,000, subject to the condition that if the Stock-CLOSE for Public Business at 12 in-Trade consisting of Wood and Iron be O'Clock, Noon, TO-MORROW, the 28th not valued by a competent valuator at a sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum of \$500,000 shall abate accordingly.

The Cosmopolitan Dock is of sufficient dimensions to dock the largest Vessels. affoat; it and the Plant and Machinery belonging thereto are now in perfect order. The Business of Building, Dooking, Mak-For the "Chartered Bank of India, Aus. ing, and Repairing Vessels is in full operation, so that the Company can at once enter upon active budness, which it is expected

will be highly remunerative. The Business of the Company will be conduoted by Mesers Russell & Co., as General Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors. About Four Thousand Shares have been already taken up, and it is intended that the Capital will be called up as follows ;---\$75 per share on allotment. R. H. SANDEMAN, Manager.

\$25 per shars on the 1st day of May, All unpaid Capital after that date shall bear interest at 12 per cent. per annum.

Application for Shares, which shall be in the annexed form, will be received by the Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1680.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOOK COM-PANY, LIMITED.

To Menne Russell & Co., General Agents, GENTLEMEN,

hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to agree to pay the first Call of \$75 per share on allotment, and the second Call of \$25. per share on the 1st day of May, 1880, and to subscribe the Articles of Association when required to do so.

> Gentlemen. Your obedient Servant,

***************** N.B.-Blank Form of Application for Shares may be had at the Office of the General Agents.

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HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS of Business Contributed during the Half-

Year ended 81st December, 1879, on or before March Sint, on which Date the Accounts will be Closed. By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, February 21, 1880.

... ORIENTAL HOTEL. TWO NEW BOWLING ALLEYS HAVE BEEN LAID.

FAMILIES. WINES AND SPIRITS OF THE BEST QUALITY, J. F. SHUSTER, Proprietor. Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

ACCOMMODATION FOR BOARDERS AND

Eighth Volume of the "CHINA REVIEW."

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CONTAINS-Fa-Hsien and His English Translators. The Lewchew Islands. The Ballads of the Shi-king, Travelations of Chinese School-books, Notes on the Corean Language. Notes on Chinese Grammar.

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Nestorian in China. Books Wanted, Exchanges, dzo. Hongkong, January 31, 1880.

For Freight, apply to Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SHANGHAL

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

> (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship " Nestor,"

Capt. T. W. FREEMAN, will be despatched on or about the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Hongkonz, February 20, 1880.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE,)

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. R. F. Scale, will be despatched on or about the 3rd Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agenis. ... Hongkong, February 24, 1880. FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN,

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. The Eastern and Australian M Steamer tralian Mail Steam Co.'s Captain Reports, will be despatched as

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 23, 1880.

FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA AND The Steamship

Meath,"

Thos. Walker, Commander, shortly due from SINGAPOAE, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch,

For Freight, apply to VOUEL & Co. Agents, Hongkong, February 29, 1880,

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship
"Priam,"
Captain S. H. Burther,
will be despatched on or about the 3rd Proxime.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents

Hongkong, February 18, 1889.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR LONDON. The Steamship "Glengyle," Capt. Quartry, will be despatched an above on or about the 11th March. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Sailing Vessels.

Hongkong, February 25, 1880.

JARDINE, MATHEMON & C

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, The A 1 American Bark STAPLES, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOCEL & Co.

Hongkong, February 26, 1880. FOR TAKAO AND TAIWANFOO The A 1 German Schooner

Auguste Reimers,"

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will load here for the above Ports, and will have immediate despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, February 17, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The # 1 American Bark HAVENER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

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Hongkong, February 7, 1880. FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Ship "Duke of Abercorn." BINNIE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship Day, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have

RUSSELL & Co. Honghong, January 31, 1880.

quick despatch.

FOR NEW YORK. The A I Amerison Bark

"Mabel,"

HALLETT, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will The A I American Bark

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 31, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK, The A 1 American Ship " R. Robinson SHITH, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to YOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, January 2, 1880.

have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, December 1, 1879.

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Ship "Prince Frederick." CLAGUE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

VOGEL & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURS, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Lydia, Captain P. PAULSEN, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed above on THURSDAY, the 4th March, at that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowna of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 9 a.m. To MORROW, 24th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 29th lostant will be subject to rent No Fire Insurance has been effected.

> SLEMSSEN & Co., Agents, Hongkong, February 23, 1880.

> Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERINS MARITIMES.

KOTICE TO CONSIGNEES, CONSIGNEES of the following Cares are requested to send in that? Bills of Leding to the Undersigned for counterdenature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Yangtsé. M G No. 904,925, Mr A. d'Argence, 2 cases Tobacco, from Marseilles. G. DE CRAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, February 12, 1880.

An Invoice of BUILDERS' HARDWARE including Door LOCES, PADLOCES, TILL LOCKS, and PADLOCKS. NEW BOOKS. INSTRUCTIVE AND AMUSING. Baswell's "Engineer's Pocket Book." Kystrom's "Engineer's Pocket Book." "Habits Good Society." Mayhew's 'Horse Management." "Advice to a Mother." "Advice to a Wife." Phelp's " Botany." Macaulay's "History of England." "Critial and Historical Essays." "Writings and Speeches." "Our Inheritance in the Great Pyramids." " Voyage of the 'Challenger.'" Beeton's "All about Gardening." Haydn's "Dictionary of Science." "Cabinet Lawyer." Maunder's "Treasury of Knowledge." Do. "Treasury of Geography." Cassell's " Popular Educator." " Weekly Welcome." OLLENDORF'S METHOD for Learning a Language in SIX Months, adapted FRENUR, SPANISH, GERMAN. Log Books, School Books. Folding Maps on Linen. 4,000 Tauchnitz Volumes. CHEAP EDITIONS OF POPULIE WORKS FROM 25 CENTS. " An Eye for an Eye." "Moy O'Brien." "Orange Lily." "Eothen." "Raro Pale hiargaret." "Within Sound of the Ses." "Impressions of Theophrastus Such." "Light and Shade." "The Zulus and the British Frontiers." "For a Dream's Sake." "John Halifax, Gentlemen." "The Afghan's Knife." " Paul Knox Pitman." "John Caldigate." "Christians and Moors of Spain." "The Life of the Right Honorable Benjamin Disrael, Earl of Beaconsfield." " My Heart's in the Highlands." "Auld Lang Syne." "The Life of Charles Lever."

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"The Bachelor of the Albany."

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"Christine Brownlee's Ordeal."

Boneless CODFISH. Georges Bank Do. Finest Eastern Factory CREAM CHEESE. Mild California Smoked SALMON. Family Mess BEEF, in 25 lbs. kegs, Oregon Pickled OX TONGUES, very fine,

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CORNMEAL, HOMINY, CRACKED WHEAT. OATMEAL, RYE FLOUR, BUCK-WHEAT FLOUR, CORN BROOMS, CORN WISPS. Table FRUITS, Bartlet PEARS, APRI-

COTS, PEACHES. Stuffed PEPPERS, ASPARAGUS. APPLE SAUCE, CRANBERRY SAUCE. OYSTERS, LOBSTERS, SALMON, CLAMS. PEA NUTS, PECAN NUTS, BRAZIL

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CALIFORNIA CRACKER Co.'s GINGER CAKES. MILK BISCUITS.

ALPHABET BISCUITS. OYSTER BISCUITS. WAFER BISCUITS. SODA BISCULTS. AMERICAN SOFT FELT HATS

Hongkong, February 23, 1880.

Intimations.

N INVOICE of Joseph Rodgers & Chinese Imperial Government Loan 1877.

5th DRAWING.

NOTICE 18 HEREBY GIVEN, that in conformity with the stipulation contained in he Bonds of this Loan, the following numbers of Bonds to be paid off at par, on the 29th of February next, when the Interest thereon will cease, were this day Drawn at the Offices of the Honekone and Shanehal Banking Corporation, 31 Lombard Street, E.C., in the presence of Mr. George Henry Burnerr, Accountant of the said Corporation, and of the undersigned Notary.

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For £100 Sterling each, £114,600.

For the HONGKONE & SHANCHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

(Signed)

Countersigned, W. W. YENN, Junior, Notary Public, 2, Pope's Head Alley, Cornhill, E.C.

GEO. H. BURNETT, Accountant.

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT LOAN 1877.

THE COUPONS falling due 29th February current of the above LOAN, together with the BONDS DRAWN for Redemption, will be Paid at the Office of this | the Rate of (£1) ONE POUND STERLING CORPORATION on and after that Date. For the

Hongrong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. Agents Issuing the Loan, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 284 1880.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

MI. F. RLAMPERMEYER has RE-MOVED to his New PREMISES, No. 63, PRAYA CENTRAL, close to the Canton Wharf. The Patronage of the Community is most respectfully solloited.

F. KLAMPERMEYER. Hongkong, January 24, 1880.

LONDON, 17th December, 1879. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE, DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 31st December last, at per Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 16th Current, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Share-

holders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

COSMOPOLITAN DOCKS.

B. SPRATT & Co. have lately VV a added on Extensive MACHINE SHOP and other APPLIANCES to the former Advantages of these Docks. The DIMENSIONS of the DOCK are :- 460 Feet, on the Blocks; 92 Feet Wide; Ordinary Tides, 21 Ft.; Spring Tides, 241 Ft. Office, 20, PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, October 4, 1879,

Mails. Occidental & Oriental Steam-

Ship Company. TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND THE UNITED PASSENGERS FOR

STATES AND EUROPE, IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL

UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES

ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. BELGIC will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on MONDAY, 1st Proximo, 1880, at 1 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers to Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe. Connection is made at Yokohama, with

Steamers from Shangbal. Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 29th February. PARCEL signees' risk and expense. PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same to require L

A REDUCTION Is made on RETURN PAS-BAGE TICKETS.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight

Passage, apply to the Agency of the lompany, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. G. B. EMORY, Agent. Hongkong, February 25, 1880.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES: PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES;

ALEO. PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND ALL INDIAN FORTS.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 3rd March, YANGTSE, Commandant CHAMPENOIS, annually distributed among all Contributors with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, of Business in proportion to the Premium and OARGO, will leave this Port for the paid by them. thore places.

Cargo and Spede will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 2nd March, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and take of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, February 19, 1880.



MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE.

THE S. S. NIIGATA MARU, Capt. WALKER, due here on or about the Let March, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 6th March, at Day-

the Office up to 6 p.m. of 5th March. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 Freight.

before delivery is taken, otherwise they of India, China and Australia. will not be recognized.

- RATES OF PASSAGE.

To Kose......Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15. " Yоконама & }. Do. \$75. Do. NAGASAKI... A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CABIN

CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobe. For further Particulars, apply at the

Company's Offices, No. 50a, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, February 23, 1880.



STEAM FOR BINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, BUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MRDI TERRANGAN PORTS, SOUTH-- AMPTON, AND LONDON, VIA BOMBAY;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, & CALCUTTA.

THE PENIMULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAN NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship THIBET, Captain E. ASHDOWN, will leave this on WEDNESDAY, the 10th March, at 11 p.m.

Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed sid Bombay, and there transhipped, arriving one week later than by direct route. Silk and Valuables will be transferred to the Calcutta steamer at

For further Particulars, apply to A. MolVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, February 26, 1880.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Cairnemuir having arrived. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at Messrs Norrow & Co 's Godowns, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading to be sent in to the Undersigned for countersignature. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 21, 1880.

BRITISH BARK "LUCIA" FROM

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above MILE Undersigned have been appointed Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

ARNHOLD; KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

Insurances.

TANGTEZE INSURANUE ASSUCIATION. CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)......Tls. 420,000 PERMANENT RESERVE.....Tls. 230,000

SPECIAL RESERVE FUND......Tls. 206,370 TOTAL CAPITAL and Au-CUMULATION, 25th } The 856,370 April, 1879.....)

Directors. F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman. M. W. Boyd, Esq. | WM. MEYERINE, Esq. C. LUCAS, Esq. S. D. WEBB, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH. Messirs BARING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers. FULLARTON HENDERSON, Esq., 8, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, E.C.

Policies granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. WEDNESDAY, the 3rd March, 1860, at Noon, the Company's S. S. of the Underwriting Business will be

> RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 1, 1879. SWISS LLOYD

TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY OF WINTERTHUR. TNSURANCES granted on MARINE

RISKS to all parts of the World. MEYER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 3, 1879.

SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE.

TNSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduc tion in Premia for LIFE Insurance in MEYER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 2, 1879,

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

His Majesty King George The First,

I HE Undersigned having been appointed Cargo received on board and Parcels at | Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-Marine Department.

Policies at current rates payable either All Claims must be settled on board here, in London or at the principal Ports Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,030 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

frie Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent to \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premia. NORTON & Co.,

Agenta, Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

> LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL,-TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Portous against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Barbour, at the usual Terros

and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of propossis or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

Insurances.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above L. Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

MELOHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

MANOHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF

MANCHESTER AND LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 ,, Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000 ,, Annual Income £ 250,000°

Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foosbow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 15, 1868,

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament,

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co.. Agents,

Hoogkong, July 6, 1875. CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,

(LIMITED.) NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two Thirds of the Profit, are distributed annually to Contributors whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the nett amount of Premia contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH. Secretary. Hongkong, December 9, 1878.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang. Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at Sjn80 | the above mentioned Porta.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary. Hongkong, November'1, 1871.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-

PRINCE FREDERICK, British ship, Capt. John Clague.-- Vogel & Co. Mabel, American barque, Cept. Francis Hallett.—Captain.

ALICE REED, American barque, Captain Killeran. - Vogel & Co. MINNTE CARVILL, British barque, Capt. P. T. Clark.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

CHATEAUBBIAND, French barque, Captain Leroy. - Carlowitz & Co. Dirigo, American barque, Captain H.

Staples.—Adamson, Bell & Co. CAIBNEMUIE, British steamer, Capt. G. Castle.-Holliday, Wise & Co. R. Robinson, American ship, Captain

Smith - Vegel & Co. CABMELITA & IDA, German barque, Capt. E. J. Ketels. - Melchers & Co.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship " Kwanglung," Captain ABSOTT, will be despatched for the above

Ports on TUESDAY, the 2nd Prox, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 27, 1880.

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR BHANGHAL The Steamship Gazio, Commander, exspatch for above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHIPPING.

Hongkong, February 27, 1680.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

ARRIVALS. Feb. 26, Tsing-po, Chinese gunboat, from Feb. 26, Victory, British brig. 255, Whiting, Bangkok Jan. 10, Teak,-EDUARD

Feb. 27, Yangiste, British steamer, 782, Pobultze, Chinkiang Feb. 22, Rice .--SIEMBSEN & Co. . -Feb. 27. Carmelita & Ida, German barque, 438, E. Kettele, Hamburg Sept. 18, General, -MELCHERS & Co.

SCHELLHARS & Co.

DEPARTURES. Feb. 27, Me-li, for Shanghai. 27. Conquest, for Holbow. 27. Ping On, for Shanghal. 27, Faugh Balaugh, for Whampon. 27, Yangisze, for Canton.

OLEARED.

ABRIVED. Per Yangisze, from Chinklang, 6 Chinese. DEPARTED.

Per Namoa, for Amoy, Mr Aichberger for Foochow, Mr E. A. Paires. Per Conquest, for Holhow, 81 Chinese for Haiphong, 8 Chiaese.

The British brig Victory reports : Light wind and calms notil the 24th, thence strong Northerly winds. On the Sist Jan., spoke Anthon Gunther, from Bangkok to The British steamer Yangike reports Left Chinking at 3 p.m. on 22nd inst. passed Tungaha Lightship on the 23rd at 11 p.m. Throughout the passage had moderate N.E. wind, cloudy and rain. Passed the English mail off Tung Ying on

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

the 25th at 11 a.m. Arrived in Hongkong

at 11 a.m. on 27th inst.

For SAIGON.

notified For BANGKOK .--

Per Danube, at 8.30 p.m., on Monday, the 1st March. For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOODHOW .--

Per Kwangiang, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 1st March, instead of as previously notified.

Srd March For JAPAN via KOBE .-Per Niigata Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday,

Francisco, the United Sistes, Canada,

Honolulu, Peru, &c. which will be closed as follows :---0.15 P.M. Registry ceases.

until the time of departure. Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies (except the Bahamas and Hayti), Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay

The French Contract Packet Fungish will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd March, with Matis to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid Naples; to Salgon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burman, Crylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, Maita and Gibultar.

the Mails, do.

British Contract Packet Thibet will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 10th March, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmab, Coplon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib raltar.

N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australian Colonies.

Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet -Day of Departure,-P.M.—Money Order Office closes. 5.30 P.M .- Post Office closes till 8 P.M.,

P.M. Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. P.M.-Mails closed, except for Late

10.10 P.M.-Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 10.80 P.M.—when the Post Office Closes

10.40 P.M. Late Letters may to posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE FRENCH MAILS.

Mails, do, by the French Contract Packet :-5 P.K .- Money Order Office closes.

NIGHT BOX, which is always open out of Office hours. Day of Departure,—

A.H .- Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

11 A. H. - Mails closed, except for Late. 11.10 a.k.-Letters may be posted with

11.40 A.K.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of

departure.

27, Hon kong, for Manila.

Hallie N. Bang, for Takno. America, for Salgon. Kungchow, for Hothow. Ohinkiang, for Haigon.

PASSENGERS.

BHIPPING REPORTS. Foochow, 21 days out, near Geby Island.

MAILS will close:-

Per America, at noon, on Saturday, the 28th inst, instead of as previously

For SAIGON .-Per Tunis, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the

the 5th March. MAIL BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Be'gic, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 1st March, with Mails for Japan, San

0.30 P M. Post-Office closes, but Letters (except for Non-Union Countries) may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage

cannot be sent by this route. Hongkong, Feb. 25, 1880.

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The usual bours will be observed in closing

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Miscellaneous. Noon. - Local Banks close.

General Memoranda.

SUNDAY, February 29 :--Goods per Caimsmuir undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Lydia undelivered after this date subject to rent. MONDAY, March 1:-

1 p.m. - Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco. TUESDAY, March 2:-

Daylight -- Kwangtung leaves for Coast WHIDNESDAY, March 3:-

Noon .- French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 9 p.m.—Dramatic Performance at the City Hall. THURSDAY, March 4:-

Noon .- Bribate leaves for Port Darwin, Cooktown, do. 8.30 p.m .- Meeting of Zetland Lodge FRIDAY, March 5:-

3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the China Sugar Refining Co., Limited, at Messra J., Matheson & Co.'s office. SATURDAY, March 6;-Daylight .- Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for

Yokohama vla Kobé, WHONESDAY, March-10:-11 p.m - English Mail leaves for Ports

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The publication of this issue commenced at 7.55 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, FEB. 27, 1880.

THERE are rumours about town to day of the contemplated appointment of an additional member of the Legislative Council They may be erroneous or not, so far as we know officially, for the powers that be now deal largely in surprises. This side. After Mr Keswick retires, what is the Council? Mr Ryrie's otherwise strong common sense has been curiously metamorphosed on many public quescollection of birds that will flap their his favourite did not start. wings and crow at the exact time and in the precise manner they are called It is true that the Legis. in the hands of an anti-Constitutional Governor, and it may be a difficult matter to reduce the institution to a lower status than it at present possesses But there is a certain amount of politic Coffey and G. H. Michaelson, and Lieut moderation which might be observed by A. H. Young, and 87 men, (15 invalids) Mr Hennessy in his efforts to reach out 20 time-expired men, and 2 discharged with after personal Government. Is it the Stonecutters' Island scheme that is now exercising the mind of His Excellency We fancy that this project will require all the efforts of all the Councils and the Army Hospital Corps, 1 Staff Sergeant, Home influence of Mr Hennessy addition; and then, after all is done, it Staff, Mrs T. S. St. Clair and 3 children, may probably crumble to pieces.

THE present anti-Hennessy feeling is occasionally responsible for unfair assumptions, and the fact that His Excellency stands aloof from nearly every form of public recreation and amusement favours these misunderstandings. has been supposed that His Excellency's Lieutenant J.R. Broadley, Victor Emanuel refusal to permit European Policemen being employed to keep the Racecourse clear, was an ungracious reminder on the part of the Governor that his sympathies were not in accord with shipman, Iron Duke; Mr W. J. Willoughby, carefully guarded himself against being those of the Fereign Community; but Clerk, Iron Duke; Mr James Wilson, act, mistaken as to the object of his motion. this is not altogether correct. There is Boatswain, Victor Emanuel; Mr Ben a good reason" why the European mem- Thompson, act, Roatswain, Victor Emanuel. It was in no way directed against the Hon. bers of the Force should not be thus employed; and on the principle of giving a certain personage his due, this Mr R. P. Hawkahaw (A. P.), Mr C. E. circumstance ought to be generally Pill, Boatswain. known. Mr. Hennessy rightly objects to the Colony being left to the guardian. ship of other than European policemen during the three nights of the Race Meeting; and the Europeans are there fore forbidden to undertake this special day duty. This service has been undertaken and well performed by the soldiers, thanks to the General Commanding | and the public sports are none the worse. But it is only right to note that in this particular instance Mr Hennessy is not "so black as he has been painted."

other day as to the meaning and scope of the Royal proclamation issued from Roberts. The British soldier is now paid of six official members besides the Governor Lisbon regarding flogging in Portuguese in the Czar's toin and the Cabul shop as President and five non-official members. Colonies, we failed to note one point keepers much prefer Indian Rupees on which it may be well still to mention in which it is said they profit considerably by It was always desirable to have the Surveyor this connection. It was one of the prin- melting and re-coining. The Pioneer's General connected so closely as he was

cipal objects of the decree referred to. that the independence of the Judges in Colonics should be clearly established. Let us explain. The high-handed acts the Chinaman or Chinamen who had been illegally flogged by the Governor. These proceedings were demanded by the Governor of the Judge, but the latter refused to give them up; when the Executive ordered that all proceedings should be suspended." quently went home to Lisbon. Judge was afterwards promoted to Goa, and the Governor was recalled; but the proceedings against the latter were continued, and he now has to stand his trial ing to watch the progress and result of this trial, as, although we do not pretend to thoroughly comprehend the distinctive processes of Portuguese law, there is no doubt but that an important precedent Governor in a Portuguese Crown Colony is absolute, and he can " have his fling" (as it is freely called) for the time being but the Chief Justice is the fountain and Executive tampers with that, he comes under the processes of that law, and must sooner or later succumb thereto. The Royal Decree places this beyond a doubt, and atrengthens the Judicial as against the Executive power.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The next FRENCH MAIL may be expected here on or about Wodnesday next, the 3rd proxime, by the M. M. steamer. Loudon dates to the 23rd ult. are brought on by this opportunity.

STAFF-COMMANDER Heather, who for the last three years or more has filled the appointment of Master Attendant at the Royal Naval Yard here, goes home by the Tyne to-morrow morning. Captain Heather's quiet geniality of manner and high character have gained him the respect of large circle of friends, who wish him a pleasant voyage to the Old Country. He is succeeded by Staff-Commander Souda-

In publishing elsewhere a fuller notice of the presentations made to the Rev. John Henderson, officiating Garrison Chaplain, and Seamen's Chaplain at this port, it may not be out of place to say that the subject of these notices has made himself popular in many circles by a liberal-minded system of good-doing. As we have already stated, Mr Henderson will be greatly missed in many ways. We wish him a very pleasant home journey. The Regimental testimonial was the result of a combination of all denominations-Roman Catholics and Presbyterians, as well as the men of his own Church.

In justice to "Old Trotter" it may be ago concerning the events on the first day of the Race meeting were not very far from the mark. His Black Satir prophecy (the Wong-nei-chong Stakes) was only a length and a half short. That kind of thing, however, has a serious for the Ashley was correct. He was out on the Derby, but named the winner for the Garrison. In the Valley Stakes he was correct; and although out in the Fooches. tions; and it would seem that Mr Hen. he was right as to Redstart's victory. In neasy is now gathering about him a some of the cases where his prophecy failed,

THE following details will proceed to Englative Council was never a great power land in H.M.S. Tyne, leaving at 10 a.m. to-morrow :-Royal Artillery, 5 Rank and file, (3 invalids and 2 discharged with ignominy); 27th Inniskillings, Captains F. ignominy), and 2' women; Army Medical Department, Surgeon-Major C. F. Pollock, M. B., Mrs Policek and female servant in time-expired, 1 woman and 6 children and the Rev. J. Henderson, Acting Garrison

Chaptain. From the Naval Station the following officers take passage in this troop-ship :-Staff Commander G. P. Heather, R. N. Yard; Lieutenant A. E. Clark-Kennedy, R. N. Hospital (invalided from Iron Duke); (late H.M.S. Lily); Mr J. B. Armstrong, Surgeon, Fly, to rejoin the Encounter, at Singapore ; Mr G. S. Shuckburgh, Midship-Salmond, Lieutenant J. W. Wells, Lieut

From H. M.S. Kestrel :- Commander F. Edwards, Lieutenant P. C. Underwood, Nav. Lient. W. B. Meads, Mr. O. P. Browne (Surgeon), Mr C. E. Byron (A. P.) Mr J. Edmonds (Chief Engineer), Mr W. Landella (Engineer).

An exchange has been apostioned between Lieutenant C. H. Coke of the Tyne and Lieutenant R. C. A. Bayuss of the Fly. In addition to the above, the Paid-off return to England in the Type; and Time-expired men and Invalids from H. M. Ships on the Station.

with an inscription might have been easily explained away; but the large number of Russian gold coins can only be accounted for by attempts to bribe Shero Ali to an of the Viscount d'Arcos were protested alliance against the British. If it is to be against by the Chief Justice of Macao, only a war of the longest purses the British and the Judge took the depositions of treasury will doubtless "stay" the longest, out the use to which his money is now put ther in accordance with the fitness of

L CORRESPONDENT has forwarded to the Daily Telegraph a letter from his son now was acceded to by the Judge under serving with the 9th Lancers before Cabul. protest; and the whole case subse- It furnishes some additional details connected with the discovery of Russian roubles in the treasury of the Bala Histor. The money so found amounted, the writer say 1, to £8,000. * We are all getting pid with these coins. One is the size of a sovereign, and worth mind rupees to us, or in Lisbon for the broaches of the law rather that is what we get when we change alleged against him. It will be interest one. In the Ameer's stores were piles of brass helmeis and different uniforms which were suspected to have come from Russia" What follows, however, is of the most importance, and is indeed altogether a startling piece of news:- "Some time back, sa we were about to hang one of Yakoob's will be established one way or other. It generals, he said he had something to conis clear enough that the power of the fess. He was brought before General Roberts, and said that the Amoor Yakoob Khan signed the death-warrant of the British Envoy and ordered the murdered men to be dragged through the streets of Cabal General Roberts asked him whether he guardian of the Law, and whenever the would say this to the Ameer's face. He answered, 'Yes,' and when brought face to. face did so; and since then the Ameer bas been confined to his tent with a strong guard on him."

> "CHU Ban Ki" (記咸徐) is a well known Silk firm of Shanghal, established ment has always been a reliable firm, but lately on account of the heavy loss in the "Wu-si" (Wuchow Silk) transactions, Chil Cha Sun ran away on the 25th day of the twelfth moon (February 5th 1880). was indebted to the following banks in the settlement. viz: How-tuck, Tah-loong. and Yen-sun, about Tis. 9,000 or more and Tuck-yuen, out of the settlement, Th. 3,000, and to various private individuals about Tls. 30,000. It was said that six bales of Silk remained, value about Tla. 2,000, and uncollected accounts more than Tis, 10,000, and cash on hand Tis. 3,000. The bankrupt's debts were about Tis. 40,000, of which sum, only Tis. 20,000 could be refunded by the capital and goods, do. Now two of the managing clerks are in the Mixed Court, and nodecision will be given until the proprietor of the said firm is caught. -Shun Pao, 17th inst.

THE Rangoon Gazette learns from a correspondent at Mandalay that King Theebay has visited the Mandalay hillin great state, The late king, his father, could seldom be persuaded to leave the palace on excursions of this kind, being afraid that if he did so. some of his numerous progeny would selze upon the throne and proclaim himself king. Theebaw must feel himself more secure now that he has so cruelly disposed of his relatives in Burmese fashion. same correspondent says:-- "A large lottery with Rs. 30,000 as a prize has been started in Mandalay, in which the lickets are Reeach. About four hundred of these tickets sold in single day weare informed The other two rupes lotteres with Rs. 10,000 prizes at still going on."

PROPOSED ENLARGEMENT OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SIX OFFICIALS, FIVE NON-OFFICIALS SUGGESTED BY THE GOVERNOR.

The usual notice sent to the Press concarning the meeting of the Legislative Council held at this time of the year, has been taken, when containing words " invitation that the reporter were no wanted, that business very properly being been. always discharged with closed doors. But yesterday there were more "surprises," we understand, at the meeting of the Council. The contagion has spread from the President to the unofficial side.

The proceeding, we are informed, deve-

Hon. P. Ryriessked whether the Government was prepared to recommend to the Secretary of State the advisability of increasing the number of unofficial members of the Legislative Council. At the present moment the Countil was composed nominally of four officials besides His Excellency the President, namely His Lordship the Colonial Treasurer, and the Attorney the Hon. Mr Price, whom it was no doubt very desirable to have on the Council, occupied one of the unofficial seats, and this reduced the number of the dependent unoficial members on the Council to three, the Hon, the Surveyor General's vote being at the call of the Government on any question that might be brought forward, his vote corresponding | books, the use of your microscope &c. in that respect with the votes of the official man, Iron Duke; Mr C. F. Thursby, Mid. members, properly so called. Mr Ryrle given us in the Bible Class and from the haul-off a prime or two which was not anmistaken as to the object of his motion. From H.M.S. Midge: Commander H. the Surveyor General, nor intended to suggest that his sppointment to the nonofficial seat he now held was impolitio; he souls and that he will vouchsafe you a long. only drew attention to the position of affairs in the Council, and asked whether the Government was prepared to recom- you the promise Behold I am with you mend to the Sevetary of State for the Colonies any increase in the number of the unofficial members of the Council

The Governor is reply said this question had occupied his attention and he Orews of H. M. Ships Miles and Kestrel had recommended to the Secretary of State certain changes with regard to the constitution of this Conneil, which would, he believed, have the effect the hon, mem-According to the correspondent of the ber who had introduced the question had in In correcting our contemporaries the London Times at Cabul, 12,000 Russian view. He had recommended that the Coun-

correspondent's story of the Russian teapot | with the Public Works of the Colony and | the estimates for the same, with respect to which some question or other was o milnually cropping up before the Council-a member of the Legislative body. That had only been secured in the case of the present occupant of that post, the Hon. Mr Price, by in paying the British forces must strike the his appointment to be an unofficial member. Were the proposition he had laid before Sir Michael Hicks Beach approved, the Surveyor General and the Harbour Master would both be ex-officio members of the Legislative Council and there would also be an additional non-official seat. hands of course were tied by words of the Charter, which provided for four official and four noncofficial members. There was no further reference to the

Weshould have mentioned, in referring to the swearing in of the Hon. E. L. O'Malley, Attorney General, and the Hon. J. Russell, Colonial Trensurer, that the Chinese member, the Hon. Ng Choy, was also sworn in and took his seat,

PRESENTATION TO THE REV. JOHN

HENDERSON. We have received the following notes, fuller than those we published the other da of the presentation by the Officers and noncommissioned Officers of the 27th Regiment to the Rev. John Henderson, Cfficiating Col. Goldes, Staff Commander Heather,

Purdon, Windrum, and about 200 men. Col. Geddes made the presentation in name of the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates of the 27th Inniskillings, and said that during the time of Mr Henderson's connection with the Regiment he had proved himself a friend to the Officers and a father to the men of the Regiment, that his leaving would be regretted by all, that he hoped to (Mr Henderson) would accept the token not for its intrinsic value, but for the split in which the presentation was Regiment, and that in after years it might be the means of bringing to his recollection the happy days spent in Hongkong, happy in being beloved as he was by the men of the Inniskillings. In conclusion, Colonel Geddes wished him a long life of happine: and hoped that his future career might be as bright at the Inniskillings could wish. Col. Geddes then called for three cheers for Mr Hendemon, which were given in true

British style, after which another cheer was

given for the future Mrs Henderson. Mr Henderson thanked them all for their very valuable gift, and said he would always prize highly the handsome testimonial they had given him. He knew he had their warm regard, and now could never forget the Regiment. Their kindness was enough to induce him to ask the Gardson Chaplain for a Commission. His year with them had been a very happy one indeed, and he was grateful for the good feeling they had always manifested towards them. believed he would have sympathy in time of trouble from every man and boy who wore the uniform. With record to the Colonel's Their evidence tended to show that many of the uniform. With regard to the Colonel's remark as to the brotherly feeling between the officers and himself, he had realised the truth of it from the first day he knew them. The Regiment had his best whites for the future, and they must not think be had kissed the Blarney Stone when he said that if the Regiment was as good as it was goodooking, it would be a magnificent corps with no Orderly Room business. He felt consider the Jury List," to be a polite as he looked back on the past that he might have done more, and he begged them to orgive whatever shortcomings there had

The address appended, together with a very handsome Marble Clock, was presented to the Rev. J. Henderson by the members of his Bible Class, nearly the whole of which belong to the 27th Indskillings. loped themselves somewhat after this This address has been signed by over 80

"To the Revd. John Henderson.-Sir,-At the close of your ministry among us, we the members of your Bible Class desire to express our sincers appreciation of your benevolent kindness towards us, kindness which has been shown in more ways than we can now speak of, although we may tell of some who have been helped in seasons of distress, of some who have sought advice at your hands and have found in you sincere friend in such need, of others Chief Justice, the Colonial Secretary, the again to whom you have given awest sympathy in hours of deep bereavement. while all have felt that in you they would General and four unofficial numbers. Buy find one ready at all times to meet them with a helping hand and courteous demean-

> "We desire, too, to express our warm soknowledgement of your earnest desire to provide means of mental improvement and to prevent the too often indulgences of immoderate drinking by introducing other and better attractions, instances of which we see in the Saturday Evening Entertainments and in the means you yourself provide in you own rooms in the form of magazines,

"Above all we are grateful for earnest ulpit, as well as for the manner in which fou have set before us the gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. "Of your worth as a minister of Christ

which we are conscious we do not presume to speak; but we trust that God will bless your work to the calling of many happy and nafel life to His glory and bonour. And may God shower upon you the gifts of file Holy Spirit, and fulfil in "In bidding you 'Farewell' be assured then that you carry with you our heartfelt

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gratitude, and our best wishes for your

welfare here and in Eternity."

Before His Lordship the Chief Justice and & Special Jury.) WEBSTER & SASSOON AND CHATER.

The following are the members of the Special Jury hearing the case, -Messrs C. V. Smith, H. H. Nelson, T. Rose, J. B. Coughtrie, T. Jackson, J. Bradles Smith, and A. P. McEwen. This action, which we have briefly noticed

on several occasions. It occupied the Court to-day, from 9 a.m. till 1 p.m., and on Wednesday last, from 10 a.m. till 1 p.m. Mr Hayllar, Q.C., instructed by Mossrs Brereton and Wotton, appeared for the plain-tiff; and the Hon. J. Russell, instructed by Messra Sharp, Toller and Johnson, appeared for the defendants.

Road to the Praya, between or forming part

of Marine Lot, No. 14, or Marine Let, No.

15. The first lot was fermerly the ground

occupied by the Oriental Bank Corporation,

the second the lot on which Messrs Arnhold.

Karberg & Co.'s premises now stand and

upon which the Chartered Bank recently stood. It appeared from the opening statement of the plaintiff's counsel, the plaintiff or his undertenants were until within a few weeks ago in actual occupation of all the disputed ground save a small strip between the Oriental Bank Corporation premises and the Chartered Bank, and that Messrs Sassoon and Chater having on the 4th Dec., 1879. obtained a new Crown Lease of Marine Lot No. 14, including the ground in dispute. pulled down the western wall of the promises formerly occupied by the Junior Mess of the O. B. C. and encroachedon latter's ground, took up the flagging and excavated foundations for their new buildings upon it and close to the windows in the eastern side of the dwelling house occupied by Messrs Arnhold, Karberg & Co., and that to restrain the defendants from proceeding with the works the plaintiff obtained an Injunction until the hearing of the cause. The case for the plaintiff is that all the ground to the westward of the eastern wall of the O. B. C. premises on Marine Lot 14 always belonged to him, that as regards all that ground save a small portion comprising the last reclamation made in 1861 or 1862 he has had actual and undisturbed possession for over twenty Garrison Chaplain. There were present :- years and as regards the ground comprised on the last reclamation, it was a continuamore than twenty years ago, by Chu Cha R. N.; Major Hales; Capis. Michaelson, it, and had been in undisputed possession since and Staisforth, Lieute, Tunnard, Bennett, the reclamation took place: -that although the original Crown Lease, which is dated in 1844, demised the portion running from the Queen's Road about hal the way of the centre ground, the North and South boundaries were described as measuring 100 feet only, that such measurements were inaccurate in common with most of the leases granted by the Government in the early days of the Colony, that the east and west boundaries were not parallel, and that after the reclamations were made by tacit if not by express arrangements each party took the ground of which they were respectively in possession and have remained in such possession to the present time. The case for the defendants would appear to be that the original let No. made, it having come spontaneously from the 15 was a right-angled parallelogram measuring in the North and South boundaries 100 feet respectively; that as each reclamation was made the eastern and western boundaries should have been continued in right lines, so that in no case could the owner of lot No. 15 have a greater breadth in the Praya or Queen's Road than 100 feet, and that as regards their lot (No. 14) the owner of that lot took all the ground between the eastward of marine lot 15 and Pottinger

> A good deal of documentary evidence and certain old plans have been put in evidence on the part of the plaintiff, whose case is not yet closed, the evidence of Messra Wetton and Wilson, who had to leave the Colony before the trial, was taken de bene esse and that with affidavits made by them was put in. To Chak, formerly draftsman length. Time, 2min. 581 180. to Messre Rawling Medlen & Co., was crossexamined on an affidavit made by him, and Mesars Tomlin and Neate of the Surveyor General's department were subpossed by the plaintiff to produce certain official He documents; they were each examined, and the old Crown leases were inaccurate as to the area of the ground demised, that in most of such cases the tenants held-more land than the leases professed to demise and that the practice has been for tenants in those instances to surrender the old leases and take new leases of the whole premises at increased rents according to the extra ground. It transpired in the course of the case that it was the rule of the Surveyor deneral's Department not to grant new Crown Leases in cases where the boundaries. of the lots were in dispute between the adjoining lot-holders, and that this is the only case where a new lease was granted whilst such dispute existed.

The case stands adjourned until Monday next, the 1st proximo, at 9 a.m., when the dant's case will be commenced.

Hongkong Races, 1880.

BECOND DAY. Friday, February 27. Stewards,-His Excellence John Pope dennessy, C. M. G.; His Excellency, Major-General Donovan; Commodore Smith R.N.; Lieut.-Colonel Gedder, 27th Innisillings; The Hon. W. Keswick.; The Hon. P. Ryrie; and Messre H. Lowcock, Coxon, H. Hoppins, W. H. Forbes, J. Soott, and T. Jackson; Mr R. H. Sande man, (Hon. Treasurer); Mr L. B. Friend, (Clerk of the Course).

Mr H. Hoppius, Clerk of the Scales; Hon. P. Ryrie and Mr A. Coxon, Startera. Mr R. Shephard, Judge.

The races to-day were much more enjoyable than those of the first day. weather was better on the whole; it was by one and a half length. Time 2min. dry and crisp but not cold. The course 17sec. was a heavy to a degree; it could not have been otherwise, but the gentlemen up were astonished to find it so good as it was The day has not been so full of surprises as nounced for them. Nothing could well be more popular than Mr Paul's double win in the German Cup, Tojmahal and Brato Chiel taking respectively the first and second places. This Stable coming to the front in the magnificant way it did squares things very considerably. The Shanghal Fernando's Red Ribin, lost. 8tb. (Le-Stables have got a fair share now of the winnings, the Coast ponies have done well, Paul's Reishefreiherr, 10st. 12th. (Niand it is ten thousand times better to find the Hongkong Stables also coming in for something than seeing the whole of the honours going to one powerful Stable.

L. -THE SCURRY STAKES, -- A Sweepstakes Winners at this Meeting, 7ibs, extra Weight for inches. Three quarters of

Kerfoot's Wild Surf, 11st. 1lb. (But-Risk's Strathpeffer, 11st. 5lb. (Bidwall),. 2 Davson's Dauntless, 11st. 4lb. (Vickels), 0 Fohkien's Wild Boer, 11st. 4lb. ((snnant), U tween Tajmahal and Gosson, who showed before, has been before the Supreme Court | Henry's Saunterer, 10st, 9lb, (Lewis), ... 0 to the front, the former la ding a winner

the second day. They made a capital start for a short race. In such a short spin very little variety occurs. Wild Surf came in an easy wioner by two lengths, A close contest ensued for second place. The subject of the action is a disputed 1 mir. 40 sec.

piece of ground running from the Queen's -THE GERMAN CUP. - Value 100 Guinean, -Presented by Members of the German Club, For China, Manila and Japan Ponles. Four Ponles from bond fide opposing stables to start or no Race. Weight for inches. Er trance \$10. Half the entrance money to go to the Second Pony. Tw

Paul's Tajmahal, 11st. 11b. (Lowis)...... Paul's Braw Chief, 10st. 12lbs. (Nickels)... Pye's Driving Cloud, 11st. 1lb. (Tennant) 3 Kerfoot's Wild Eddy, 10st, 12ibs. (Hut-Risk's Strathullie, 10st. 12lbs. (Bidwell) Forbes's Filon d'Or, 10st. 12lbs. (Ogle)... (

Bill's Fluke, 11st. 2lbs. (Brandt) There was a good start in this race. Filond'Or took the lead, Braw Chiel running second until nearly once round, these two well in advance of all the others; Driving Cloud hard held, Fluke last very hard held and the rest going easy. Passing in front of the Grand Stand the second time. Driving Cloud was third and rapidly losing his position, Brow Chief drawing ahead at verly in front of his opponent a few strides the turn and increasing it as they went before reaching the Judge's box. Time, 3 down the other side. At the Black Rook | mins. 37 secs. Driving Cloud was outpaced. Filon d'Or was going beautifully, but had Tojmahal coming up on him as if determined to win. Mr Paul's two ponieswent beautifully along the run home, leaving the other ponies well behind save Driving Cloud, and these two took the first and second positions beautifully neither of them ridden; Tajmahaltwo lengths ahead of his stable companion an easy win. Time, 4min., 49sec.

3.—THE BANKERS' PLATE, Value \$200, -Presented by the Bankers of Hong. kong, -For China Ponies. Weight for inches. Previous non-starters to earry 12st. Entrance \$5. Second Pony to receive half of the Entrance Money. One mile and a quarter. Risk's Strathavon, 10st. 12lb. (Bidwell), ! Kerfoot's Wild Gien, 11st, 4lb. (Hutchinge), ... 2 Dawson's Dauntless, 11st. 4lb. (Nickels), 8 Dawson's Heather Bell, 11st. 4lb. (Bath-

An escallent start was effected, the ponies getting away well together. Wild Glen led, closely followed by Dauntless, until the Black Rock was reached, when Strath. avon, who had been bringing up the rear, was let out and gradually gained ground until on entering the Straight he showed to the front and won in a center; Wild Glen and Dauntlus racing well for second place which was secured by the former only by half s

1.—THE PARSEE CUP,—Value \$150,—Presented by the Parses Community,-For China Ponies, being bond file Griffius at date of Entry. Weight for inches. Winners of one Race at this Meeting, 71b. extra; of two Races, 12lbs. extra. Entrance \$5. Seven Octavio's Bellyne, 10st 12lb. (Brandt) ... 1

Henry's Evil Genius, 10st. 12lb. (Ogle),... 3 Kerfoot's Wild Foam, 10st, 12lb, ("intchings), ...

For this race four ponies presented themselves at the stating post, and an exciting and well contested race ensued, Bellyne coming in about one and a half length in front of the Wasp. Mr Paul claimed a foul against Bellyne, who, he asserted, had crossed the Wasp's course when half way up the straight; but the Plaintiff's case will close and the Defen- claim was subsequently withdrawn. Time, 2 min. 3 sec.

> 5. THE PROFESSIONAL CUP, - Value \$ for China, Manila, and Japan Ponies, Weight for inches. Winners of Ashley or Garrison Cups, 7lbs. extra, or both of 12lbs. extra. Entrance \$10. Second Pony to receive half of the Entrance money. One mile.

Henry's Cumshaw, 11st, 11b. (Ogle), 1 Risk's Strathavon, 11st. 5lb. (Bidwell),... Paul's Black Satin, 11st, 11b. (Nickels), Mouat's Redstart, Met. lib. (Hutchings), Fohkien's Wild Boor, 11st. 4lb. (Tennant) O Five ponies appeared for the Professional

and a capital start was effected. Cumshaw took the lead and was never caught, a splendid contest ensuing for second between Black Satin, and Strathavon, th latter securing the honor very cleverly within a few strides from home.

6 .- THE TOWN PLATE, -Value \$500, presented, for China, Manila and Japan Ponis. Weight for laches. Winners of one Race at this Meeting, 71bs. extrajof two Races, 10lbs. extra ; and of three Races, 15lbs extra. Winner of the Foodhow Cup, 71bs. extra. Penaltes acoumulative. Previous nonstarten excluded. Entrance \$10. Second Pony to receive 70 per cent of Entrance Money; Third Pony, 80 per cent. One-mile-and-half.

Paul's Tajmabal, 11st. 8lb. (Hutchings) Henry's Goisoon, 10st, 10lbs, (Ogle),... 2 Aitch's Itike, list, 41b. (Bathgate),..... 3 Bill's Fluke, 11st, 21b. (Brandt)

Pye's Wirmanda, 10st, 12b. (Tennant), 0 For the Town Plate seven ponies faced the starter and after little trouble were got away in a ruck ; Tajmahal taking the lead, the others in a cluster close upon his of \$5 each, with \$100 added, -For heels when they passed the Stand. At the China, Manila and Japan Ponies, corner Wirmanda pushed to the front, but failed to rotain the lead for any distance Pauing the Village Fluke, Reichsfreiherr and Red Robin were running shings)... I almost abress, the latter slightly leading. Henry's Comehaw, 11st. 11b. (Ogle)..... 8 On entering the straight a change took Bill's Fantaisie, 10st. 12lb. (Brandt), O place and a splendid tueset came off be-

Seven ponies started for the first race of | by one and a half length; Latte also coming out of the crowd and taking third place at about six lengths' distance; the others, who had made the running at first, being nowhere, Time, 3 min. 35% sec.

> 7.—THE STAND PLATE, - 4 Sweepstakes of \$5 each, with \$100 added, for all China Ponies, bona fide Griffins at date of Entry. Weight for inches, Provious Winners, at this Meeting, 7lbs. extra. Penalties scoumulative. From the two

mile post once round and in. Henry's Evil Genius, 10st. 12b. (Ocle) 1 Paul's Oriental, 10st. 12lb. (Nickels) ... 2 Kerfoot's Wild Foam, 10st. 12", (Lewis) 3 Rick's Strathullie, 10st. 13lb. Bldwellj 0 Octavio's Bellyne, 11st. 5lb. (Brandt)... 0

Five ponies entered for this last event of to-day, and a fair start was made, the ponies generally being on their beat behaviour : Wild Echo having a slight lead. Passing the Stand and pretty nearly as far as the Black Rock, Bellyne and Strathullie were running in front neck and neck, Passing the Village they fell behind and gave way to the other three, who seemed to have been reserving their strength for the final struggle. Evil Genius came to the front and won by a length; a capital race between Oriental and Wild Foam for second honors resulted in Nickels landing his pony cle-

During the course of the afternoon the Band of the Inniskillings, under Herr Werner, played the following selections :-MARCH ... "The Young Recruit" ... Kappey. OVERTURE "Emma de Resburgo" Meyerbeer. SELECTION ... "Bestrice di Tenda" ... Bellini. WALTZ " Pomone" Wald:enfel. Selection " Irish " Godfrey. Polka Piefke.

The following are the races on the programme for to-morrow :---

1.-THE EXCHANGE PLATE, -Value \$150. -Given by the Exchange Brokers of Hongkong,-For China Ponice that have run at this Meeting being bond fide Griffics at date of Entry. Weight 10st. 12ths. Winner of Hongkong Derby, 7ths. extra ; of apy other Race at this Meeting, 5ibs. extra. Penalties accumulative. Entrance \$5. mile and-a quarter.

2.—THE CHALLENGE CUP.—Value 100 guiness,-For China Ponies. To be won two years consecutively by a Pony or Ponies, the bond fide Property of the same Owner. Weight for inches. Entrance (forced) \$5. First Pony to receive 70 per cent; Second, 20 per cent; and Third, 10 per cent of Entrauce money. One-mi e-and-threequarters.

3.—THE LADIES' PURSE,—For all Ponies that have run at this Meeting, to be handicapped by the Stewards, Entrance for Ponies accepting \$5. Seven furlongs.

-THE NAVY PLATE, -Value \$350,-Presented by Officers of H. M. Fleet, -For all China, Manila and Japan Ponies. Weight for inches. Winners previous to this Meeting of one Race, ölbs, extra ; of two Baces, 7lbs, extra ; and of three Races, 10ths, extra. Non-starters at this Meetlog excluded. Entrance \$10. Second Pony to receive half of the Entrance Money. One

5.—THE KERCHONG CUP. Value \$ Presented,-For China, Manila and Japan Ponies, Weight for inches. Entrance \$10. From the Black Rock twice round and in.

-THE CONSOLATION STAKES, -For all China, Manila and Japan Ponies at this Meeting. Weight for inches. Entrance \$5, with \$100 added, Second Pony to receive \$50. Seven furlongs.

-THE CHAMPION STANES, -A Forced Entry for all China, Manile and Japan Ponies, winners at this Meeting optional to beaten Ponies. Weight for inches. Estrance \$20. Winners of two Races, \$30; of three or more Races, \$50; with \$100 added. One. mile-and-a-half. 6 .- THE NATIVE SCRAMBLE .- For China

Ponies only : First Pony, \$251 Second, \$10; Third, \$5; to be ridden by Ohinamen. Catch Weights.

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THE CHINA REVIEW, or Notes and Queries on the Far East, is issue! at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octave pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, de., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such extra matter.

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Trübner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review :- " This Is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hong kong, where it has been set on foot as it some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China ar i J span, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended t occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat simila to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of at tention that has been bestowed of late year upon the investigation of Chinese literature antiquities, and social developments, to sa nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of inform ation, rendering some such channel of pub licity as is now provided extremely desir able; and contributions of much interes may fa'xly be looked for from the member of the foreign consular services, the Chines Customs' corp-, and the missionary body among whom a high degree of Chines scholarship is now assiduously cultivated and who are severally represented in the lire number of the lieview by papers highl creditable to their respective authors. a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place Monour is deservedly given, an exceller summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of . . Review, if carried out with punctuality "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar Ke ke displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the China Review Per may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appe : every two months, and will

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